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New Orleans, May 8.—When the official gauge of the river registered 21.3 feet United States weather officials were of the opinion that the Mississippi had started on its final lap toward the predicted crest of 21.5 feet, which would mark the passing of the greatest flood recorded in the Mississippi valley in which all stage and duration records have been smashed. Clear weather and sunshine was reported at all points from the Torras crevasse south to the mouth of the river and the most encouraging reports since the present flood began have been received from all those points up and down the river where the embankments were thought to be weak. The work of rescuing marooned persons in isolated districts progressed more rapidly and boats coming into concentration camps are usually loaded with women and children.

There is a scarcity of every kind of navigable craft and everything that can be steered and carry passengers and supplies for even a short distance has been pressed into service. Hundreds of primitive flat boats that can be towed by motor boats are being constructed.

SHIPS AID FLOOD VICTIMS

Petrel and Nebraska Ordered to Assist Relief Work.

Washington, May 8.—The navy has entered the field of relief along the Mississippi river.

Captain Wood, commanding the battleship Nebraska, and Commander Dismukes, commanding the gunboat Petrel, were ordered to give all assistance possible to the flood sufferers. These vessels are now at Baton Rouge on a cruise up the Mississippi.

Secretary Meyer informed congress of his act and asked that about \$10,000 or \$15,000 be added to the bill passed by the senate to reimburse the navy for the supplies used in this work.

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COLONEL CONTROLS KANSAS

Convention to Be Held Will Instruct Delegates for Him.

Independence, Kan., May 8.—Supporters of Colonel Theodore Roosevelt's candidacy will control the Republican state convention which meets here to name four delegates at large to the national convention. A canvass shows that the Roosevelt delegates will number at least 750 out of a total of 896.

The convention will endorse Roosevelt's candidacy and instruct the delegates at large to vote for him at Chicago. It also will endorse William Allen White of Emporia for national committeeman to succeed David W. Mulvane of Topeka.

GUFFEY FACTION
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Pennsylvania Democrats Overthrow Regular Faction.

CONTEST LASTS TWO YEARS

Reorganizers' Victory Proves Complete and No Resistance Develops After the Vote on Permanent Chairman Showed an Overwhelming Majority Party Split for Over a Year and Two State Committees Have Been in Existence.

Harrisburg, Pa., May 8.—In the same hall where the regular Republican organization of Pennsylvania was overthrown last week the regular Democratic state organization was swept out of power by the "reorganization" faction after a fight lasting nearly two years. The "reorganizers" victory was complete and no resistance was made by the regulars after the vote on permanent chairman of the state convention showed that their opponents controlled the convention by 110 votes to 73. The party has been split for more than a year and two state committees have directed the destinies of Pennsylvania's Democracy.

The "reorganizers" under the leadership of George W. Guthrie, former mayor of Pittsburgh; Vance C. McCormick, former mayor of Harrisburg, and Congressman Palmer named a complete state ticket, elected twelve

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delegates at large and twelve alternates to Baltimore and gave them binding instructions to vote for Woodrow Wilson "as long as his name remains before the convention;" selected six electors at large; adopted their own platform and ratified the selection of the "reorganizers" state committee in electing Mr. Guthrie state chairman. The state ticket named is:

Auditor general, Robert E. Cresswell, Johnstown.

State treasurer, William H. Berry, Delaware county.

Congressmen at large, George B. Shaw, Westmoreland; Joseph Howley, Allegheny; George R. McLean, Luzerne, and E. E. Greenawalt, Lancaster.

MAY FORCE LORIMER CASE

Minority Members of Committee to Offer Their Report.

Washington, May 8.—Senator Lorimer's case may be forced to consideration in the senate by the presentation of the minority report of the special committee which investigated his election.

Senator Kern, on behalf of himself and his colleagues in the minority, Senators Kenyon and Lea, may attempt to put in their report, although the majority report which exonerated Mr. Lorimer of the corruption charges has not yet been presented.

TWO ARKANSAS CONVENTIONS

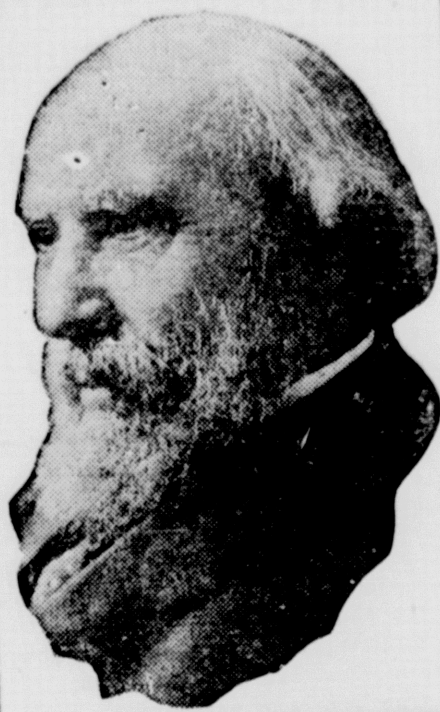
Taft and Roosevelt Supporters Select Four Delegates.

Little Rock, Ark., May 8.—Two Republican state conventions, one attended by supporters of President Taft and the other by adherents of Colonel Roosevelt met here. Each claimed four delegates at large from Arkansas and instructed them to cast their votes in the national convention according to the sentiment of the delegates attending. Little direct reference was made in any way by either convention to the other.

Orders Lower Malt Rate.

Washington, May 8.—The interstate commerce commission decided that the differential in the railway rates on barley and malt, in carloads, from Minneapolis to California terminals, which are, respectively, 55 and 65 cents a hundred pounds, was unreasonable and that the rate on malt should be, during the next two years, not more than 7 cents higher than that on barley.

JAMES J. HILL.

Refuses to Discuss the
Rumors of His Retirement.

HILL EVADES THE QUESTION

Great Northern Chairman Silent on Retirement Rumor.

Chicago, May 8.—While passing through Chicago on his way to New York James J. Hill, chairman of the Great Northern road, again evaded the question relative to his retirement May 15 from active railroad work.

"If there is a statement to be made it will be made in due time," said Mr. Hill. "I haven't another word to say on that subject."

The fact that Mr. Hill will retire on the date mentioned, however, has been confirmed in half a dozen quarters. Speaking of business conditions, Mr. Hill said:

"The Northwest is quiet, but sound. There is no menace, but the people are going slowly. It is too soon to make a forecast regarding agricultural conditions."

SESSION LIKELY TO
LAST ALL SUMMERCongress May Take Brief
Recess During Convention.

Washington, May 8.—Senate leaders were depressed on the unfavorable outlook for an adjournment of congress. There were a number of conferences with the result that everybody agreed that it was impossible to adjourn before the national conventions and that there was no likelihood for an agreement for a recess to permit senators and representatives to attend the conventions. Estimates as to the date of adjournment ran all the way from July 10 to Sept. 1. There was considerable talk among senate leaders about the advisability of taking a recess for two weeks from June 15 to July 1, but the sentiment seemed to be overwhelmingly against it.

On the house side the idea of taking a brief recess in June seemed to meet with favor. The house leaders predicted that the adjournment would occur at any time between July 15 and Aug. 15.

Representative Underwood, the majority leader, declared an adjournment before the date of the conventions was out of the question and predicted that the appropriation bills and other necessary legislation would keep congress in session until late in June, if no other matters came up for consideration.

SAYS POOL FIXED PRICES

Evidence Against American Steel and Wire Company.

New York, May 8.—The American Steel and Wire company, one of the biggest of the subsidiaries of the United States Steel corporation, was a partner to pool agreements with other manufacturers whereby prices on United States government's bids were fixed and the business divided among the pool members, according to testimony given in the government suit to dissolve the corporation under the Sherman anti-trust law.

The testimony was given by Samuel J. Bailey of the office of E. E. Jackson, "supervisor" of the famous wire pools, whose members were indicted and fined a year ago. Bailey acted as secretary of the Horseshoe Manufacturers' association, one of the seven pools, and explained in detail how the horseshoe business of the country was managed. The evidence was introduced by the government in support of its contention that the American Steel and Wire company was itself an illegal combination.

UNDERWOOD IN MISSISSIPPI

Incomplete Returns Show Him Ahead of Wilson.

Jackson, Miss., May 8.—Incomplete returns from eighteen primaries give Underwood 3,994 and Wilson 1,939.

United States Senator Elect James K. Williams, Senator Earl Brewer and C. H. Alexander were elected delegates at large without opposition. Williams and Alexander are supporters of Governor Wilson, while Vardaman and Brewer espouse the cause of Underwood.

PURE FOOD WAR
STILL GOES ONManufacturers Fighting Other
Men as They Fought Wiley.

HIS INTEREST CONTINUES.

Attends Hearings and Shows His Antagonism Just as He Did When He Held Office—Senator Smith and the Titanic Inquiry—Seeking Outings in National Forest Reserves.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, May 8.—[Special.]—The pure food question we have always with us. Dr. Wiley has resigned, but the merry war goes on just the same. We find food manufacturers fighting other men in the department just as hard as they fought Wiley. The former chief of the bureau of chemistry is on hand at all hearings and shows his antagonism to certain foods and drugs just as he did in the past when he had official power. Legislation is pending before different committees to amend the food and drug law, and intense opposition has been aroused. The millennium in the matter of food legislation has not been reached.

Smith Not a Sailor.

Seafaring men and nautical writers have had their gibes at William Alden Smith, chairman of the committee investigating the Titanic disaster, because his questions have betrayed an unfamiliarity with the language of the sea. But everybody interested in the great ocean tragedy is under obligations to Senator Smith for bringing out explanations of sea terms so that the reports may be understood. No matter whether the Michigan senator did not know the difference between an air tight bulkhead and an air tight compartment—if he didn't—there are many others following the investigation who were also uninformed. "William Alden is getting the facts, which is the important thing," was the comment of a Michigan man.

Counting the Cost.

Several efforts have been made to secure an estimate of the cost of the Shackleford road proposition in the postoffice bill, but no one can give a clear idea. In time to come, everybody agrees, the cost is bound to be enormous.

Disliked the Company.

The late Senator Hoar of Massachusetts broke with his party on the question of acquiring and keeping the Philippines. He made a very strong speech on the subject in the senate and received many commendations from the anti-imperialists all over the country. One man went to his room and congratulated him personally.

"Senator Hoar," he said, "that was a remarkable speech. A splendid speech I approve every word of it."

The venerable statesman responded in his high cracked voice, "I would be much better satisfied with it myself if it was not so heartily approved by every d—d fool I know."

Seeking an Outing.

Judging from the bills introduced, all the fraternal and benevolent societies in the country are seeking outings in the national forest reserves. Every order seems to have a dozen different congressmen anxious to give them the privilege of camping in those reserved lands of the great west.

Political Hustings.

Congressman Prouty of Iowa is serving his first term in the house, and he has had to learn that the session preceding a presidential election is devoted to politics and campaign "flapdoodle." Prouty was making an argument on how people could be induced to go back to the farm, and Bartlett of Georgia asked if George W. Perkins was not furnishing the campaign funds for one of the presidential candidates.

This nettled Prouty, who retorted: "Do not mix up politics in this. I confess I have become thoroughly disgusted with the members of both sides of this house trying to convert the halls of congress into a political hustings."

Moving Rapidly.

There is one noticeable fact about congress which shows the tendency of the times. It moves more rapidly in the matter of improvements and inventions. Liberal, though not adequate appropriations have been made for experimental mail carrying with airships. A few years ago it would have been necessary to demonstrate the practical utility of such an improvement and demonstrate that there was a chance to make a great saving before an appropriation would be made. The man with the new idea gets a show now where he would wait for years in the days of less progress.

Not Everything in Books.

About the only way we seem to be able to restrict immigration is by an educational test, and yet that lets in many undesirable. "Education is not all got from books," remarked John Sharp Williams, discussing the immigration bill, "nor is culture. The most perfect gentleman I ever knew could not write a word. I frequently said he was one of the wisest men from a citizenship standpoint I ever knew."

Senator O'Gorman of New York suggested a qualification of character for immigrants.

"How in the name of common sense could anybody write into a statute a qualification of character?" asked Williams.

Physical Conformation.

"Why has the nose a bridge?" "Don't things have to pass from eye to eye?"—Baltimore American.

HENRI ST. YVES.

Former French Runner
Now Driving a Taxicab.

ST. YVES IS A CHAUFFEUR

Former French Marathoner Gives Up Running Game.

New York, May 8.—Henri St. Yves, the French Marathon runner, who won several big races in this city a few years ago, has turned chauffeur and is at present driving a New York taxicab. Yves is driving for a taxicab concern, but as soon as he picks up the fine points of hacking in this city he intends to purchase a machine.

ASSERTS RICHESON
IS MORMON ELDERWoman Makes Affidavit Regarding
Condemned Minister.

Boston, May 8.—Clarence V. T. Richeson, under sentence of death for the murder of Avis Linnell, has been a Mormon elder and secretly connected with the Mormon organization for several years, although preaching from a Baptist pulpit, according to a sworn statement just made before William A. Thibodeau, an attorney and justice of the peace.

The author of the affidavit, Mrs. Louise E. Brittain, claims to have been formerly connected with the Mormon church and to have been a celestial wife of a New York man, who is at the head of the Mormon organization in the East.

In the statement Mrs. Brittain asserts that she has known Richeson for several years, first meeting him three years ago at a Mormon conference held on Staten island, where she says she recognized the Baptist clergyman as one of the Mormon elders and he was particularly active in the affairs of the conference.

She has since seen him many times in and about Boston and has given him the Mormon signs, which were always answered, she claims. She says she attended a Mormon conference at Providence, R. I., a little over a year ago, at which Richeson was present and that she received commands from him as a Mormon elder at a Boston gathering of the leaders of the church.

A short time ago Mrs. Brittain became converted from Mormonism, she says.

FEDERAL COURT BARS CASE

Butte-Ballaklava Company Must Make Fight in State Tribunals.

Butte, Mont., May 8.—District Judge J. J. Lynch has denied the application of the Butte-Ballaklava Mining company for a transfer of the action brought against it by the Anaconda Mining company to the United States court. This change was sought because Arizona, under the laws of which the Butte-Ballaklava is incorporated, has been admitted to statehood.

The action involves one of the principal veins of the Butte-Ballaklava and the extraction of ore reputed to be worth \$750,000.

Duluth and Twin City people are chief stockholders of the Butte-Ballaklava.

Her Fortune Teller.

Mrs. A.—Did you ever go to a fortune teller? Mrs. B.—Yes, once. Before I was married I went to the probate court to see how much my fiancé's father had left him in his will.—Boston Transcript.

BURN VOLVA'S WARNING SIGN

Zion City Tobacco Users Dance and Sing Around Fire.

Zion City, Ill., May 8.—A sign board warning against the use of tobacco in Zion City was burned by opponents of Overseer Volva. The sign condemned users of tobacco.

While the signboard was burning employees of a local electrical plant whose invasion of Zion City with pipes, cigarettes and chewing tobacco brought on war against tobacco by the Zionites danced and sang. The Zionites called out the fire department, but the board was destroyed.

DIXON INDULGES
IN HARSH WORDSAGREE ON PAPER MILL PAY
Representatives of Company and Men Draw Scale.

New York, May 8.—Representatives of the International Paper company, which controls thirty-six paper mills, and the International Brotherhood of Papermakers, reached a tentative agreement, it was announced, as to the wage scale and working conditions of paper mill employees, subject to ratification by the directors of the International Paper company. Hugh Freney, representing the American Federation of Labor, said the agreement would prove entirely satisfactory to the men.

The joint conference adjourned to meet again Saturday, when the manufacturers will give their final answer.

TWO LITTLE GIRLS RUN OVER

Cousins Fatally Injured by Automobile Truck.

Chicago, May 8.—A peculiar chapter of accidents occurred when two little girls were run over and probably fatally injured by an automobile truck. The girls were Nora Crowley, nine years old, and Julia Crowley, ten years old, cousins.

The girls were roller skating on the sidewalk. The truck, driven at high speed, collided with the girls. In attempting to avert this the driver of the truck swung his machine on the sidewalk and accidentally ran over the girls.

CLOSE MUNICIPAL CONTEST

St. Paul Re-Elects Its Republican Mayor.

St. Paul, May 8.—Mayor Herbert P. Keller (Rep.) has been re-elected by a majority of about 400 over Otto Bremer (Dem.), according to the best unofficial reports obtainable in the closest political fight ever waged in the city of St. Paul.

Mayor Keller has carried five of the twelve wards of the city, late figures show. They are the First, Second, Seventh, Tenth and Eleventh.

Otto Bremer has carried the remaining seven wards of the city.

Duluth Adopts New Ideas.

Duluth, May 8.—Duluth voters emphatically declared at the polls that they wish to have the initiative, referendum and recall become a part of the city charter. The voting was quite heavy and the vote to incorporate the proposed amendment was carried by a vote of about 4 to 1.

Senate Passes Wireless Bill.

Washington, May 8.—Rigid federal regulation of wireless telegraphy was provided by a bill passed by the senate. The measure would give the secretary of commerce and labor authority over all wireless stations and provide for licensing them. The measure will comply with the general wireless treaty recently ratified by the senate.

Illiteracy Growing Less.

Washington, May 8.—Illiteracy is rapidly decreasing in the United States. A report just prepared by the census bureau shows that in 1910 there were 5,516,693 illiterate persons in continental United States, or a percentage of 7.7, compared with 6,180,669 in 1900, when the percentage of illiteracy was 10.7 per cent.

GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES

Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, May 7.—Wheat—To arrive on track—No. 1 hard, \$1.18½; No. 1 Northern, \$1.17½; No. 2 Northern, \$1.15½; May, \$1.17; July, \$1.17½; 1.17½; Flax—On track and to arrive, \$2.19½; May, \$2.18½; July, \$2.13½.

South St. Paul Live Stock.

South St. Paul, May 7.—Cattle—Steers, \$5.75@8.25; cows and heifers, \$4.00@7.00; calves, \$3.00@7.00; feeders, \$3.75@6.15. Hogs—\$7.35@7.50. Sheep—Lambs, \$6.00@8.00; wethers, \$5.00@6.00; ewes, \$3.50@5.75; wool stuff, \$4.00@6.50.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, May 7.—Wheat—May, \$1.18; July, \$1.14½@1.14¾; Sept., \$1.10½. Corn—May, 80½c; July, 77½c@77¾c; Sept., 75½c. Oats—May, 56½c; July, 53½c; Sept., 44c. Pork—July, \$19.47@19.50; Sept., \$19.57. Butter—Creameries, 25¢@29c; dairies, 23¢@27c. Eggs—17½¢@18c. Poultry—Chickens, 13½¢.

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Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, May 7.—Wheat—May, \$1.15½; July, \$1.15½; Sept., \$1.08½. Cash close on track: No. 1 hard, \$1.18½; No. 1 Northern, \$1.17½; to arrive, \$1.17½; No. 2 Northern, \$1.15½; to arrive, \$1.15½; No. 3 Northern, \$1.13½; No. 3 yellow corn, 76¢@77c; No. 4 corn, 68¢@72c; No. 3 white oats, 54½¢@54¾c; to arrive, 54½¢; No. 3 oats, 52¢@53c; barley, 70¢@1.30; flax, 15½¢; to arrive, \$2.18½.

Denies Using Roosevelt Money in
Maryland Primaries.

CONTROVERSY WAXES WARM

Taft Men Issue Statement Declaring Ten Thousand Dollars Was Placed in Circulation at Baltimore in Closing Hours of Campaign—Roosevelt's Manager Uses "Short and Ugly Word" in Reply.

Washington, May 8.—The Taft and Roosevelt national headquarters clashed over the Maryland primary result. The word "lie" was freely used by Senator Dixon, head of the Roosevelt committee. The Taft headquarters put out a statement on the Maryland results, part of which follows:

"More than half of Mr. Roosevelt's entire delegate vote came from the city and county of Baltimore, where it is stated the Roosevelt managers placed \$10,000 among their workers at an early hour Monday."

Another part said:

"In Prince George county, which definitely decided the contest so far as present returns indicate, Roosevelt money in large amounts was poured into the county. Large rolls of small bills, accompanied by checks to be used if needed, were sent out from Washington on Sunday, at least one well known leader in the district having voluntarily exhibited such a 'roll' in Washington on Sunday afternoon."

This statement was duly delivered in the Roosevelt headquarters, the rival organizations having an amicable arrangement whereby they exchange daily bulletins and statements.

Dixon Makes Heated Reply.

Here is Senator Dixon's answer: "Every one of these statements is a deliberate, willful lie. Every man connected with their circulation is a deliberate, willful liar. These lies are circulated for the purpose and for the only purpose possible for which liars always lie."

President Taft's managers stated that the president is entitled and will receive the votes of four of the delegates from the state of Maryland to the Republican national convention.

The presidential primary gave Colonel Roosevelt apparent control of the state convention, which is to select the entire delegation of sixteen to Chicago, and reports have indicated that the delegation would be solid for Roosevelt.

The Taft managers claim the naming of a solid Roosevelt delegation by the state convention would defeat the expressed preference of the electors of the two districts. It is understood this point will be pressed and the national committee asked to rule upon it unless four delegates are given to the president.

VERY CLOSE IN MARYLAND

Roosevelt Secures Delegation by Only Eighty Votes.

Baltimore, May 8.—The closeness of the struggle between President Taft and Theodore Roosevelt for control of Maryland's sixteen votes in the national convention was emphasized when complete returns from the primaries showed the result depended upon one county, which on the face of the returns gave Roosevelt a majority of only eighty votes.

Putting this county in the Roosevelt column gave him sixty-six delegates to the state convention, just one more than a majority. The three Howard county delegates counted for Taft would give the president a victory by the same margin.

RESULTS ON THE DIAMOND

American Association.

St. Paul 9, Toledo 6.
Minneapolis 3, Columbus 3—called.
Kansas City 12, Indianapolis 5.

Standing of the Clubs—Minneapolis, 714; Columbus, 667; Toledo, 545; St. Paul, 542; Kansas City, 435; Louisville, 400; Milwaukee, 381; Indianapolis, 304.

American League.

Boston 5, Detroit 4.
Chicago 1, Washington 0.

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National League.

New York 6, St. Louis 2.
Chicago 9, Boston 4.
Philadelphia 8, Cincinnati 5.

OMAHA ELECTSSQUARE SEVEN

Mayor Dahlman Victor in First Election Under Commission Form.

Omaha, May 8.—Mayor James C. Dahlman and his six associates labeled by him the "square seven" were victorious in the municipal election, the first under the commission form of government. The only question unsettled was who had received the largest number of votes, the count showing a well balanced count between Mayor Dahlman and Charles Withnell, present building inspector. The total vote, however, shows all of the seven leading candidates within only a few hundred votes of the high mark.

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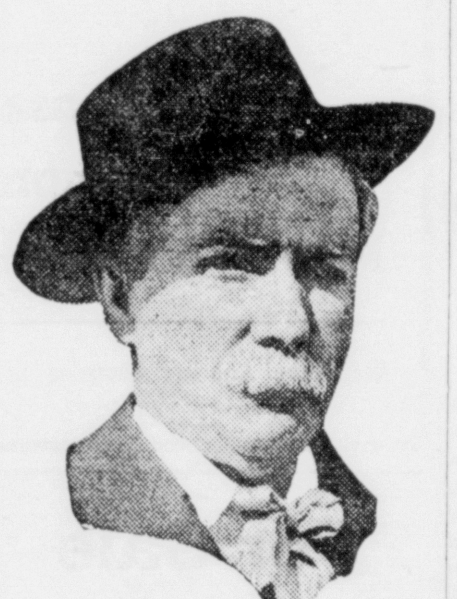
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swept out of power by the "reorganiza-
tion" faction after a fight lasting nearly
two years. The "reorganizers" vic-
tory was complete and no resistance
was made by the regulars after the
vote on permanent chairman of the
state convention showed that their
opponents controlled the convention
by 110 votes to 73. The party has been
split for more than a year and two
state committees have directed the
destinies of Pennsylvania's Democracy.The "reorganizers" under the lead-
ership of George W. Guthrie, former
mayor of Pittsburgh; Vance C. McCor-
mick, former mayor of Harrisburg,
and Congressman Palmer named a
complete state ticket, elected twelve

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delegates at large and twelve alterna-
tes to Baltimore and gave them
binding instructions to vote for Wood-
row Wilson "as long as his name re-
mains before the convention;" select-
ed six electors at large; adopted their
own platform and ratified the selection
of the "reorganizers" state committee
in electing Mr. Guthrie state chairman.
The state ticket named is:Auditor general, Robert E. Cresswell,
Johnstown.State treasurer, William H. Berry,
Delaware county.Congressmen at large, George B.
Shaw, Westmoreland; Joseph Howley,
Allegheny; George R. McLean, Lu-
zerne, and E. E. Greenawalt, Lancas-
ter.

MAY FORCE LORIMER CASE

Minority Members of Committee to
Offer Their Report.Washington, May 8.—Senator Lor-
imer's case may be forced to considera-
tion in the senate by the presentation
of the minority report of the special
committee which investigated his elec-
tion.Senator Kern, on behalf of himself
and his colleagues in the minority,
Senators Kenyon and Lea, may at-
tempt to put in their report, although
the majority report which exonerated
Mr. Lorimer of the corruption charges
has not yet been presented.

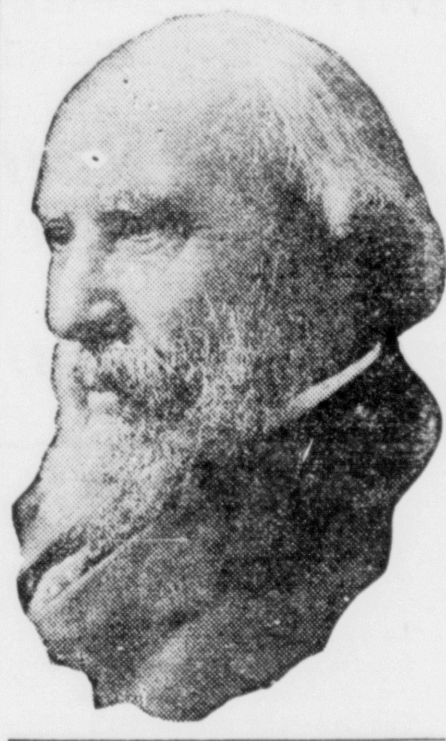
TWO ARKANSAS CONVENTIONS

Taft and Roosevelt Supporters Select
Four Delegates.Little Rock, Ark., May 8.—Two Re-
publican state conventions, one attend-
ed by supporters of President Taft
and the other by adherents of Colonel
Roosevelt met here. Each claimed for
itself regularity. Each elected four
delegates at large from Arkansas and
instructed them to cast their votes in
the national convention according to
the sentiment of the delegates at-
tending. Little direct reference was
made in any way by either convention
to the other.

Orders Lower Malt Rate.

Washington, May 8.—The interstate
commerce commission decided that
the differential in the railway rates
on barley and malt, in carloads, from
Minneapolis to California terminals,
which are, respectively, 55 and 65
cents a hundred pounds, was unrea-
sonable and that the rate on malt
should be, during the next two years,
not more than 7 cents higher than
that on barley.

JAMES J. HILL.

Refuses to Discuss the
Rumors of His Retirement.

HILL EVADES THE QUESTION

Great Northern Chairman Silent on
Retirement Rumor.Chicago, May 8.—While passing
through Chicago on his way to New
York James J. Hill, chairman of the
Great Northern road, again evaded the
question relative to his retirement
May 15 from active railroad work."If there is a statement to be made
it will be made in due time," said Mr.
Hill. "I haven't another word to say
on that subject."The fact that Mr. Hill will retire on
the date mentioned, however, has been
confirmed in half a dozen quarters.
Speaking of business conditions, Mr.
Hill said:"The Northwest is quiet, but sound.
There is no menace, but the people
are going slowly. It is too soon to
make a forecast regarding agricultural
conditions."SESSION LIKELY TO
LAST ALL SUMMERCongress May Take Brief Re-
cess During Convention.Washington, May 8.—Senate lead-
ers were depressed on the unfavorable
outlook for an adjournment of con-
gress. There were a number of con-
ferences with the result that every-
body agreed that it was impossible to
adjourn before the national conven-
tions and that there was no likelihood
for an agreement for a recess to per-
mit senators and representatives to
attend the conventions. Estimates as
to the date of adjournment ran all the
way from July 10 to Sept. 1. There
was considerable talk among senate
leaders about the advisability of tak-
ing a recess for two weeks from June
15 to July 1, but the sentiment seemed
to be overwhelmingly against it.On the house side the idea of tak-
ing a brief recess in June seemed to
meet with favor. The house leaders
predicted that the adjournment would
occur at any time between July 15
and Aug. 15.Representative Underwood, the ma-
jority leader, declared an adjournment
before the date of the conventions
was out of the question and predicted
that the appropriation bills and other
necessary legislation would keep con-
gress in session until late in June, if
no other matters came up for consid-
eration.

SAYS POOL FIXED PRICES

Evidence Against American Steel and
Wire Company.New York, May 8.—The American
Steel and Wire company, one of the
biggest of the subsidiaries of the Uni-
ted States Steel corporation, was a
partner to pool agreements with other
manufacturers whereby prices on Uni-
ted States government's bids were
fixed and the business divided among
the pool members, according to testi-
mony given in the government suit to
dissolve the corporation under the
Sherman anti-trust law.The testimony was given by Samuel
J. Bailey of the office of E. E. Jack-
son, "supervisor" of the famous wire
pools, whose members were indicted
and fined a year ago. Bailey acted
as secretary of the Horseshoe Manu-
facturers' association, one of the seven
pools, and explained in detail how the
horseshoe business of the country was
managed. The evidence was intro-
duced by the government in support
of its contention that the American
Steel and Wire company was itself an
illegal combination.

UNDERWOOD IN MISSISSIPPI

Incomplete Returns Show Him Ahead
of Wilson.Jackson, Miss., May 8.—Incomplete
returns from eighteen counties in the
presidential preference primaries give
Underwood 3,094 and Wilson 1,939.United States Senator John Sharp
Williams, Senator Elect James K.
Vardaman, Governor Earl Brewer and
C. H. Alexander were elected dele-
gates at large without opposition.
Williams and Alexander are support-
ers of Governor Wilson, while Varda-
man and Brewer espouse the cause of
Underwood.PURE FOOD WAR
STILL GOES ONManufacturers Fighting Other
Men as They Fought Wiley.

HIS INTEREST CONTINUES.

Attends Hearings and Shows His An-
tagonism Just as He Did When He
Held Office—Senator Smith and the
Titanic Inquiry—Seeking Outings in
National Forest Reserves.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, May 8.—[Special.]—The
pure food question we have always
with us. Dr. Wiley has resigned, but
the merry war goes on just the same.
We find food manufacturers fighting
other men in the department just as
hard as they fought Wiley. The for-
mer chief of the bureau of chemistry
is on hand at all hearings and shows
his antagonism to certain foods and
drugs just as he did in the past when
he had official power. Legislation is
pending before different committees to
amend the food and drug law, and in-
tense opposition has been aroused. The
millennium in the matter of food leg-
islation has not been reached.

Smith Not a Sailor.

Seafaring men and nautical writers
have had their gibes at William Alden
Smith, chairman of the committee in-
vestigating the Titanic disaster, be-
cause his questions have betrayed an
unfamiliarity with the language of the
sea. But everybody interested in the
great ocean tragedy is under obliga-
tions to Senator Smith for bringing out
explanations of sea terms so that the
reports may be understood. No matter
whether the Michigan senator did not
know the difference between an air
tight bulkhead and an air tight com-
partment—if he didn't—there are many
others following the investigation who
were also uninformed. "William Ald-
en is getting the facts, which is the
important thing," was the comment of
a Michigan man.

Counting the Cost.

Several efforts have been made to se-
cure an estimate of the cost of the
Shackelford road proposition in the
postoffice bill, but no one can give a
clear idea. In time to come, everybody
agrees, the cost is bound to be enor-
mous.

Disliked the Company.

The late Senator Hoar of Massachu-
setts broke with his party on the ques-
tion of acquiring and keeping the Phil-
ippines. He made a very strong speech
on the subject in the senate and re-
ceived many commendations from the
anti-imperialists all over the country.
One man went to his room and congrat-
ulated him personally."Senator Hoar," he said, "that was a
remarkable speech, a splendid speech
I approve every word of it."The venerable statesman responded
in his high cracked voice, "I would be
much better satisfied with it myself if it
was not so heartily approved by every-
body I know."

Seeking an Outing.

Judging from the bills introduced, all
the fraternal and benevolent societies
in the country are seeking outings in
the national forest reserves. Every or-
der seems to have a dozen different
congressmen anxious to give them the
privilege of camping in these reserved
lands of the great west.

Political Hustings.

Congressman Prouty of Iowa is serv-
ing his first term in the house, and he
has had to learn that the session pre-
ceding a presidential election is devo-
ted to politics and campaign "dapplod-
die." Prouty was making an argument
on how people could be induced to go
back to the farm, and Bartlett of Geor-
gia asked if George W. Perkins was
not furnishing the campaign funds for
one of the presidential candidates.This nettled Prouty, who retorted:
"Do not mix up politics in this. I
confess I have become thoroughly dis-
gusted with the members of both sides
of this house trying to convert the halls
of congress into a political hustings."

Moving Rapidly.

There is one noticeable fact about
congress which shows the tendency of
the times. It moves more rapidly in
the matter of improvements and in-
ventions. Liberal, though not ade-
quate appropriations have been made
for experimental mail carrying with
airships. A few years ago it would
have been necessary to demonstrate
the practical utility of such an im-
provement and demonstrate that there
was a chance to make a great saving
before an appropriation would be
made. The man with the new ideas
gets a show now where he would wait
for years in the days of less progress.

Not Everything in Books.

About the only way we seem to be
able to restrict immigration is by an
educational test, and yet that lets in
many undesirable. "Education is not
all got from books," remarked John
Sharp Williams, discussing the immi-
gration bill, "nor is culture. The most
perfect gentleman I ever knew could
not write a word. I frequently said
he was one of the wisest men from a
citizenship standpoint I ever knew."Senator O'Gorman of New York sug-
gested a qualification of character for
immigrants."How in the name of common sense
could anybody write into a statute a
qualification of character?" asked Wil-
liams.

Physical Conformation.

"Why has the nose a bridge?"
"Don't things have to pass from eye
to eye?"—Baltimore American.

HENRI ST. YVES.

Former French Runner
Now Driving a Taxicab.

ST. YVES IS A CHAUFFEUR

Former French Marathoner Gives Up
Running Game.New York, May 8.—Henri St. Yves,
the French Marathon runner, who won
several big races in this city a few
years ago, has turned chauffeur and is
at present driving a New York taxicab.
Yves is driving for a taxicab concern,
but as soon as he picks up the fine
points of hacking in this city he in-
tends to purchase a machine.ASSERTS RICHESON
IS MORMON ELDERWoman Makes Affidavit Regard-
ing Condemned Minister.Boston, May 8.—Clarence V. T.
Richeson, under sentence of death for
the murder of Avis Linnell, has been a
Mormon elder and secretly connected
with the Mormon organization for sev-
eral years, although preaching from a
Baptist pulpit, according to a sworn
statement just made before William
A. Thibodeau, an attorney and justice
of the peace.The author of the affidavit, Mrs.
Louise E. Brittain, claims to have been
formerly connected with the Mormon
church and to have been a celestial
wife of a New York man, who is at the
head of the Mormon organization in
the East.In the statement Mrs. Brittain as-
serts that she has known Richeson for
several years, first meeting him three
years ago at a Mormon conference
held on Staten Island, where she says
she recognized the Baptist clergyman
as one of the Mormon elders and he
was particularly active in the affairs
of the conference.She has since seen him many times
in and about Boston and has given
him the Mormon signs, which were al-
ways answered, she claims. She says
she attended a Mormon conference at
Providence, R. I., a little over a year
ago, at which Richeson was present
and that she received commands from
him as a Mormon elder at a Boston
gathering of the leaders of the church.A short time ago Mrs. Brittain be-
came converted from Mormonism, she
says.

FEDERAL COURT BARS CASE

Butte-Ballaklava Company Must Make
Fight in State Tribunals.Butte, Mont., May 8.—District Judge
J. J. Lynch has denied the application
of the Butte-Ballaklava Mining com-
pany for a transfer of the action
brought against it by the Anaconda
Mining company to the United States
court. This change was sought be-
cause Arizona, under the laws of
which the Butte-Ballaklava is incor-
porated, has been admitted to state-
hood.The action involves one of the prin-
cipal veins of the Butte-Ballaklava
and the extraction of ore reputed to
be worth \$750,000.Duluth and Twin City people are
chief stockholders of the Butte-Balla-
klava.

Her Fortune Teller.

Mrs. A.—Did you ever go to a fortune
teller? Mrs. B.—Yes, once. Before I
was married I went to the probate
court to see how much my fiancé's
father had left him in his will.—Bos-
ton Transcript.

BURN VOLIVA'S WARNING SIGN

Zion City Tobacco Users Dance and
Sing Around Fire.Zion City, Ill., May 8.—A sign board
warning against the use of tobacco in
Zion City was burned by opponents of
Overseer Voliva. The sign condemned
users of tobacco.While the signboard was burning
employees of a local electrical plant
whose invasion of Zion City with
pipes, cigarettes and chewing tobacco
brought on war against tobacco by the
Zionites danced and sang. The Zion-
ites called out the fire department, but
the board was destroyed.DIXON INDULGES
IN HARSH WORDS

AGREE ON PAPER MILL PAY

Representatives of Company and Men
Draw Scale.New York, May 8.—Representatives
of the International Paper company,
which controls thirty-six paper mills,
and the International Brotherhood of
Papermakers, reached a tentative
agreement, it was announced, as to
the wage scale and working condi-
tions of paper mill employees, subject
to ratification by the directors of the
International Paper company. Hugh
Freney, representing the American
Federation of Labor, said the agree-
ment would prove entirely satisfac-
tory to the men.The joint conference adjourned to
meet again Saturday, when the manu-
facturers will give their final answer.

TWO LITTLE GIRLS RUN OVER

Cousins Fatally Injured by Auto-
mobile Truck.Chicago, May 8.—A peculiar chapter
of accidents occurred when two little
girls were run over and probably fat-
ally injured by an automobile truck.
The girls were Nora Crowley, nine
years old, and Julia Crowley, ten years
old, cousins.The girls were roller skating on the
sidewalk. The truck, driven at high
speed, collided with a touring car. In
attempting to avert this the driver of
the truck swung his machine on the
sidewalk and accidentally ran over the
girls.

CLOSE MUNICIPAL CONTEST

St. Paul Re-Elects Its Republican
Mayor.St. Paul, May 8.—Mayor Herbert P.
Keller (Rep.) has been re-elected by
a majority of about 400 over Otto
Bremer (Dem.), according to the best
unofficial reports obtainable in the
closest political fight ever waged in
the city of St. Paul.Mayor Keller has carried five of the
twelve wards of the city, late figures
show. They are the First, Second,
Seventh, Tenth and Eleventh.Otto Bremer has carried the remain-
ing seven wards of the city.

Duluth Adopts New Ideas.

Duluth, May 8.—Duluth voters em-
phatically declared at the polls that
they wish to have the initiative, refer-
endum and recall become a part of
the city charter. The voting was quite
heavy and the vote to incorporate the
proposed amendment was carried by
a vote of about 4 to 1.

Senate Passes Wireless Bill.

Washington, May 8.—Rigid federal
regulation of wireless telegraphy was
provided by a bill passed by the sen-
ate. The measure would give the se-
cretary of commerce and labor author-
ity over all wireless stations and pro-
vide for licensing them. The measure
will comply with the general wireless
treaty recently ratified by the senate.

Illiteracy Growing Less.

Washington, May 8.—Illiteracy is
rapidly decreasing in the United
States. A report just prepared by the
census bureau shows that in 1910
there were 5,516,693 illiterate persons
in continental United States, or a per-
centage of 7.7, compared with 6,180,-
669 in 1900, when the percentage of
illiteracy was 10.7 per cent.

GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES

Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, May 7.—Wheat—To arrive
and on track—No. 1 hard, \$1.18½; No.
1 Northern, \$1.17½; No. 2 Northern,
\$1.15½; May, \$1.17; July, \$1.17½;
1.17½. Flax—On track and to arrive,
\$2.19½; May, \$2.18½; July, \$2.13½.

South St. Paul Live Stock.

South St. Paul, May 7.—Cattle—
Steers, \$5.75@8.25; cows and heifers,
\$4.00@7.00; calves, \$3.00@7.00; feed-
ers, \$3.75@6.15. Hogs—\$7.35@7.50.
Sheep—Lambs, \$6.00@8.00; wethers,
\$5.00@6.00; ewes, \$3.50@5.75; wool
stuff, \$4.00@6.50.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, May 7.—Wheat—May,
\$1.18; July, \$1.14½@1.14½; Sept.,
\$1.10½. Corn—May, 80½¢; July, 77½¢
@77½¢; Sept., 75½¢. Oats—May,
56½¢; July, 53½¢; Sept., 44¢. Pork
—July, \$19.47@19.50; Sept., \$19.57.
Butter—Creameries, 25¢@29¢; dairies,
23¢@27¢. Eggs—17½¢@18¢. Poultry—
Chickens, 13½¢.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, May 7.—Cattle—Beefves,
\$6.00@9.05; Texas steers, \$5.00@7.30;
Western steers, \$5.70@7.75; stockers
and feeders, \$4.25@6.75; cows and
heifers, \$2.80@7.75; calves, \$5.50@8-
25. Hogs—Light, \$7.15@7.65; mixed,
\$7.25@7.75; heavy, \$7.25@7.75; rough,
\$7.25@7.45; pigs, \$4.85@6.90. Sheep—
Native, \$4.65@7.50; yearlings, \$6.00@
8.25; lambs, \$5.90@9.00.

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, May 7.—Wheat—May,
\$1.15½; July, \$1.15½; Sept., \$1.08½.
Cash close on track: No. 1 hard, \$1-
18½; No. 1 Northern, \$1.17½; to ar-
rive, \$1.15½; No. 2 Northern, \$1.15½;
to arrive, \$1.15½; No. 3 Northern, \$1-
13½; No. 3 yellow corn, 76¢@77¢; No. 4
corn, 68¢@72¢; No. 3 white oats, 54½¢
@54½¢; to arrive, 54½¢; No. 3 oats,
52¢@53¢; barley, 70¢@1.30; flax, \$2-
18½; to arrive, \$2.18½.Denies Using Roosevelt Money in
Maryland Primaries.

CONTROVERSY WAXES WARM

Taft Men Issue Statement Declaring

Ten Thousand Dollars Was Placed
in Circulation at Baltimore in Clos-
ing Hours of Campaign—Roosevelt's
Manager Uses "Short and Ugly
Word" in Reply.Washington, May 8.—The Taft and
Roosevelt national headquarters
clashed over the Maryland primary
result. The word "lie" was freely
used by Senator Dixon, head of the
Roosevelt committee. The Taft head-
quarters put out a statement on the
Maryland results, part of which fol-
lows:"More than half of Mr. Roosevelt's
entire delegate vote came from the
city and county of Baltimore, where it
is stated the Roosevelt managers
placed \$10,000 among their workers
at an early hour Monday."

Another part said:

"In Prince George county, which
definitely decided the contest so far
as present returns indicate, Roosevelt
money in large amounts was poured
into the county. Large rolls of small
bills, accompanied by checks to be
used if needed, were sent out from
Washington on Sunday, at least one
well known leader in the district had
voluntarily exhibited such a 'roll'
in Washington on Sunday afternoon."This statement was duly delivered
in the Roosevelt headquarters, the
rival organizations having an amicable
arrangement whereby they exchange
daily bulletins and statements.

Dixon Makes Heated Reply.

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Brainerd Weather Bureau
Temperature taken by Theo.
Miller, Cooperative Observer

May 7, 1912, maximum temperature, 58 degrees above zero.
May 8, 1912, minimum temperature, 44 degrees above zero.
The U. S. weather bureau forecast for "Fair tonight and Thursday. Not much change in temperature."

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

M. J. Ries, dry goods, 209 7th St. Mathias Woodley went to Barrows this afternoon.

W. E. Verity, of Wadena, was in Brainerd today.

Just arrived, car load Lath Edgings. Phone 96R. 28316p

P. W. Donovan returned from Deerwood this noon.

O. P. Erickson, of Deerwood, is a Brainerd visitor today.

Money to loan on improved city real estate. Smith Bros. 2611f

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Downie went to St. Paul this afternoon.

R. Buchman returned from a business trip to Duluth this noon.

Minnows for sale by J. W. Stearns, 116 Second Ave., Northeast. 2816p

Capt. Alfred Martin, of Virginia, was at the Barrows mine yesterday.

Lawn mowers sharpened, called for and delivered, by D. M. Clark & Co. 2871f

Mrs. Charles Ramsey, of Sylvan, was the guest of Mrs. Gaffney this week.

Baby buggies and go-carts for cash or on easy terms. W. S. Orne, 716 Laurel St. 28312f

Ole Benson went to Minneapolis this afternoon to attend to business matters.

The Ladies' Aid society of the First Congregational church will meet with Mrs. Wilson tonight.

Good pasture, water, for horses and cows. G. T. Baker, Oak Lawn, Phone 132R. 2861f

Mrs. F. C. Peterson and Mrs. Irvine Chrysler and daughter went to Sylvan today to visit relatives.

Muresco wall tints are the best. D. M. Clark & Co. 2551f

M. A. Keeley, of the Cuyuna-Duluth Mining Co., is in the city on business connected with the company.

Modern heating and plumbing work guaranteed. D. M. Clark & Co. 2551f

The A. O. H. order and the ladies auxiliary will give a card party at the Knights of Columbus hall this evening.

Schmidt's bottle beer, famous for quality. Order a case. Telephone 164. John Coates Liquor Co. 208-1f

Artie White and George Trent, Jr. went to Vergas near Prazee today where they will take part in tomorrow's gun shoot.

The I. O. R. M. give a dance at their hall in the Iron Exchange building on Thursday evening, May 9. 28613

Scotch pine seedlings have been set out in the 400 acre forest reserve west of Gull lake in Cass county by Forest Ranger J. P. Saunders and his assistants. Work is also being done on the establishment of fire breaks.

Rugs! Rugs! Rugs! We have all kinds of rugs and stair carpets. We sell for cash or on easy terms. W. S. Orne, 716 Laurel St. 28312f

Coffrain & Hess have installed an ice cream and soft drinks department in their establishment. They have the first Hires' root beer automatic mixer in the city and there is a big trade in foaming mugs of Hires' root beer.

Thoroughbred White Wyandot eggs for sale, \$1.00 per setting. 524 S. Broadway. 26914-w14

The visiting nurse, Miss Edith Bohike, has a patient suffering with tuberculosis who is in urgent need of bed clothes, quilts, sheets and a mattress. Any benevolent persons wishing to contribute some of these articles should call up the nurse, phone No. 438.

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The Junior Christian Endeavors of the People Congregational church will meet in the church parlors Thursday afternoon at four o'clock. The topic, "Japanese Boys and Girls in Schools" will be considered. The meeting will be in charge of Mrs. Ida Warren. All the young people are invited to attend.

Grass and garden seed, new and fresh. D. M. Clark & Co. 2551f

"Redemption of Joe the Greek"

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Brainerd Weather Bureau
Temperature taken by Theo.
Miller, Cooperative Observer
May 7, 1912, maximum tempera-
ture, 58 degrees above zero.
May 8, 1912, minimum tempera-
ture, 44 degrees above zero.
The U. S. weather bureau forecast
is: "Fair tonight and Thursday.
Not much change in temperature."

LOCAL NEWS NOTES
M. J. Ries, dry goods, 209 7th St.
Mathias Woodley went to Barrows
this afternoon.
W. E. Verity, of Wadena, was in
Brainerd today.
Just arrived, car load Lath Edg-
ings. Phone 96R. 28316p
P. W. Donovan returned from
Deerwood this noon.
O. P. Erickson, of Deerwood, is a
Brainerd visitor today.
Money to loan on improved city
real estate. Smith Bros. 2611f
Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Downie went
to St. Paul this afternoon.
R. Buchanan returned from a busi-
ness trip to Duluth this noon.
Minnows for sale by J. W. Stearns,
116 Second Ave., Northeast. 2816p
Capt. Alfred Martin, of Virginia,
was at the Barrows mine yesterday.
Lawn mowers sharpened, called
for and delivered, by D. M. Clark &
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Mrs. Charles Ramsey, of Sylvan,
was the guest of Mrs. Gaffney this
week.
Baby buggies and go-carts for cash
or on easy terms. W. S. Orne, 716
Laurel St. 28312
Ole Benson went to Minneapolis
this afternoon to attend to business
matters.
The Ladies' Aid society of the First
Congregational church will meet with
Mrs. Wilson tonight.
Good pasture, water, for horses and
cows. G. T. Baker, Oak Lawn, Phone
132R. 28616
Mrs. F. C. Peterson and Mrs. Ir-
vine Chrysler and daughter went to
Sylvan today to visit relatives.
Muresco wall tints are the best.
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M. A. Keeley, of the Cuyuna-Du-
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The A. O. H. order and the ladies
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164. John Coates Liquor Co. 208-1f
Artie White and George Trent, Jr.,
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row's gun shoot.
The I. O. R. M. give a dance at their
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Scotch pine seedlings have been
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The visiting nurse, Miss Edith
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C. D. PEACOCK CITY ENGINEER

Five Ballots Fail to Elect a Street Commissioner, There Being Three Candidates

On Tuesday evening the council held its annual election of city officers, as provided by the charter. All members of the council were present.

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For city engineer there were three applications on file with the city clerk. C. D. Peacock submitted two bids to do the engineering work of the city, one on a percentage basis and the other on an annual salary of \$1,600. Mr. Peacock is a brother of Dan C. Peacock, the mining man of this city.

Louis Knudsen, who served as city engineer for a short time previously, offered to do the work for \$1,500 a year, the city to furnish office.

C. B. M. Craig, city engineer of Hancock, Mich., and a brother of David R. Craig, local manager of the Western Union Telegraph Co., submitted a bid to do the city engineering at \$2,000 a year.

Each engineer addressed the council on the invitation of that body and mentioned some of the work he had done. As the charter requires an engineer to be an elector of the city, that provision eliminated Mr. Craig. Alderman Henning was impressed by Mr. Craig's recital of the work he had done at Hancock, Mich., where \$500,000 worth of improvements were directed by Mr. Craig, including also the building of a monster reservoir. Mr. Henning wished to know if Mr. Craig could not be engaged for a time.

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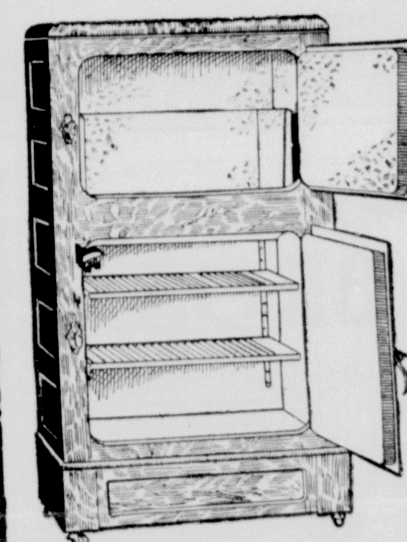
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The caucus procedure is simple and is regulated entirely by state law, the directions of which must be carefully carried out. All county conventions in the state are held on May 13th, the date set by the state republican committee. The republican county committee in each county has fixed the hour at which the convention shall meet, which in this county is at 2:30 at the court house in the city of Brainerd and the time for the caucuses on Saturday evening, May 11th between the hours of 7 and 8 o'clock. In the country precincts these caucuses will be held at the usual voting places, and in the city voting places will be announced by The Dispatch in plenty of time in order that the voters may all be informed as to the location. Each precinct is allotted delegates to the county convention in proportion to the average number of votes cast for the republican state ticket at the last election and the call which has been published gives that information. In this city delegate tickets will be printed for each ward and at the head of the ticket will be provided a space for the voter to record his choice of presidential candidates by placing a cross (X) after the name of Taft, Roosevelt or LaFollette as the case may be. This will indicate that he desires the delegates he votes for to favor the candidate so indicated, and the votes so cast will be counted in every precinct in the county and the delegates elected at the county convention to attend the state and district conventions will be instructed for the candidate having the largest number of

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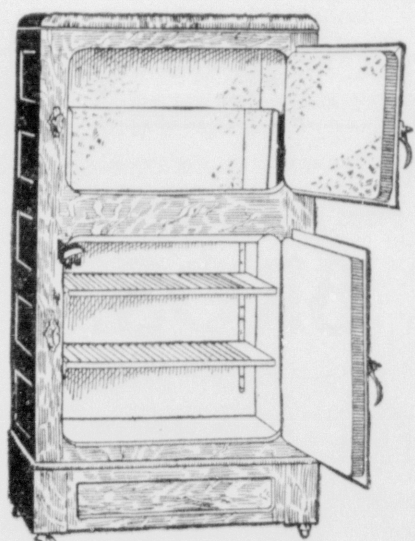
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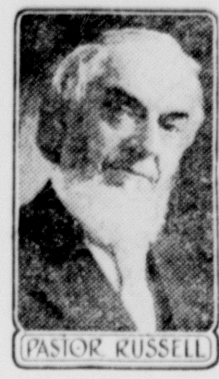
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**Who They Are and the Cause
of Their Imprisonment.**

**Pastor Russell Explodes the Theory
That Jesus Preached to Dead Hu-
mans in Prison—Crowded Audiences
Greet Him in the Georgia Capital.**



PASTOR RUSSELL

Atlanta, Ga., April 28.—Two crowded audiences greeted Pastor Russell here today. One of his discourses was from the text, "Christ also hath once suffered for sins, the just for the unjust, that He might bring us to God, being put to death in the flesh, but quickened in the spirit, by which (two experiences—death and resurrection) He preached unto the spirits in prison" (1 Peter iii, 18, 19).

This text has been made the basis for some very peculiar presentations. The difficulty in every case seems to be the failure to remember that the Bible always and everywhere teaches that the dead are really dead, that they know nothing, and that, therefore, it would be impossible to preach to the dead.

Spirits Once Disobedient.
The spirits to whom the message was given had proven themselves disobedient, says St. Peter. He even tells us the time of their disobedience—"in the days of Noah, while the ark was preparing."

Turning to Genesis vi, 1-5, we find there the cause of the disobedience of these angels who for a time had been permitted to see what they could do for the uplift of humanity, or, rather, permitted to demonstrate that the downward tendency of sin is incurable except in the manner which God has already arranged for through Messiah and His glorious reign of 1,000 years.

Instead of those angels helping mankind out of sin, they helped themselves into sin; and by so doing they increased the depravity amongst humanity until the astounding record is that "the wickedness of man was great in the earth, and that every imagination of the thought of his heart was only evil continually." The particular sin of these angels was that when they were granted the privileges of materializing—of taking human bodies—for the sake of helping and instructing mankind—they misused this power and took to themselves wives.

We are particularly told that the offspring of this improper union were giants, both physically and mentally superior to the fallen human family—"men of renown." The race thus in several centuries became so corrupt that apparently only Noah and his family were left uncontaminated.

It was then and there that God imprisoned these spirits ("angels, who kept not their first estate"), and are therefore called fallen angels, devils, demons. They were not imprisoned in some far-off world called hell, nor are they engaged there in stoking fires.

The record is that God cast them down, that they might not longer associate with the holy angels, but must be reserved in *tartarus*—our earth's atmosphere.—Jude 6; 1 Peter ii, 4, 5.

When imprisoned or cut off from the privilege of materialization, many of the fallen spirits continued their active opposition to God, after the manner of Satan. Hence they are spoken of as his angels, his messengers, and he is spoken of as Beelzebub, their Prince.

How Jesus Preached in Death.
Here arises another question: If Jesus was really dead, as the Scriptures declare; if "He poured out His soul unto death" and His soul was not raised from the dead until the third day after His crucifixion, how could He in the meantime preach to spirits in prison, or to anybody else? We reply that He could preach in the same way that the Apostle refers to, saying, "Abel, being dead, yet speaketh" (Hebrews xi, 4); and again, in the same way that the blood of Abel is said to have cried to God—figuratively. Of one thing we are sure, namely, that Jesus gave no oral address while He was dead. He preached in the way we sometimes refer to when we say, "Actions speak louder than words."

It was the great object lesson which the fallen angels saw that constituted to them the great sermon that gave them a ground for hope. They admired Jesus' loyalty and faithfulness to God, but doubtless believed Him to be foolish; they never expected Him to arise from the dead.

But when they perceived His resurrection on the third day to glory, honor and immortality ("far above angels, principalities and powers"), His sermon to them was complete, namely, that "the wages of sin is death," but "the gift of God is eternal life" (Romans vi, 23). And as they realized thus the Power of God and the Love of God for His human creatures, the Apostle's words imply that this constituted to them a message of hope.

Doubtless there is much significance also in St. Paul's remarks, "Know ye not that the saints shall judge angels?" (1 Corinthians vi, 3). We do know that the *holy* angels need no judging, no trial; hence the Apostle must refer to a trial, or judgment, or testing of these spirits in prison who were disobedient, in the days of Noah.

BAD HABITS.
Shun bad habits. Every evil and wasteful habit draws upon our strength and resources without making any proper return. On the other hand, every task faithfully done, every responsibility manfully borne in the path of duty, steadies us like well bestowed ballast.

Labouche's Jest.
Labouche once said that political audiences generally applauded the sentences that were least intelligible, especially if they happened to be quotations from the classics. On one occasion, while addressing a political audience, he said, "Gentlemen, what we want is government for the masses by the masses, or, in the words of the old Greek classic, 'Zoe mou sas agapo!' There was loud and prolonged cheering. The humorist refrained from spoiling the effect by confessing that the words, being translated into English, meant, 'O life of me, I love thee!' and were the last line of 'Maid of Athens.'"

She Lost No Time.
A colored attorney walked rapidly into the courtroom the other day, followed by a large colored woman. She had her sleeves rolled up to the elbows and appeared to have come from the washbasin. Her manner was business-like.

"Ah wants to probate mah husband's will," she said.
The judge went through the usual procedure. He read the will and asked the usual questions. Then he began making the usual notations.
"And when did he die?" the judge asked.
"Jes' about a half hour ago," was the answer.—Indianapolis News.

The Demon of the Niger.
The natives inhabiting the country near the source of the Niger believe that a devil lives in the rock from whence the river springs. They are very superstitious and greatly fear this devil, who is supposed to kill any person who dares to look at the source. Whenever the natives are showing a stranger the spot they cover up their faces and walk backward in the direction of the spring, pointing toward it with outstretched hand behind the back.

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State of Minnesota, County of Crow Wing, District Court, Fifteenth Judicial District.
In the matter of the application of Carrie Powell Hill, to register the title to the following described real estate, situated in Crow Wing County, Minnesota, to-wit: Lots One to Five (1 to 5) both inclusive, of Block One (1); Lots One to Twenty-four (1 to 24) both inclusive, of Block Two (2); Lots One to Fifteen (1 to 15) both inclusive, of Block Three (3); Lots One to Nineteen (1 to 19) both inclusive, of Block Four (4); Lots One to Eleven (1 to 11) both inclusive, of Block Five (5); Lots One to Nine (1 to 9) both inclusive, of Block Six (6); Lots One to Eighteen (1 to 18) both inclusive, of Block Seven (7); Lots One to Eight (1 to 8) both inclusive, of Block Eight (8); Lots One to Nine (1 to 9) both inclusive, of Block Nine (9); Lots One to Twenty (1 to 20) both inclusive, of Block Ten (10); Lots One to Ten (1 to 10) both inclusive, of Block Eleven (11); Lots One to Nine (1 to 9) both inclusive, of Block Twelve (12); and out lots numbered One (1), numbered Two (2), numbered Three (3), numbered Four (4), of the Townsite of Pine Grove, according to the records on file and on record in the office of the Register of Deeds, in and for the above named County and State, Applicants.

Against
Winona M. Kreitzer and Coradon B. Kelly, and all other persons and parties unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real estate described in the application herein, Defendants.
The State of Minnesota to the above named defendants:
You, and each of you, are hereby summoned and required to answer the application of the applicant in the above entitled proceeding and to file your answer to the said application in the office of the Clerk of said Court, in said County, within twenty (20) days after the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service, and if you fail to answer the said application within the time aforesaid, the applicant in said proceeding will apply to the Court for the relief demanded therein.
Witness, Hon. W. A. M. Johnston, Clerk of said Court, and the seal thereof, at Brainerd, Minn., in said County, this 15th day of March, 1912.

W. A. M. JOHNSTON, Clerk.
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The wildcat, the oldest member of the British fauna and a resident ever since the days of the mammoth, is rapidly becoming extinct. It still lingers in parts of north Wales and the more secluded districts of Scotland. Wild cats, like snakes, were never known in Ireland, the specimens reported from there having been domesticated "tabbies" which had taken to the woods. These ferocious creatures have to face the hostility of a dual alliance, being detested alike by gamekeepers and owing to a partiality for lamb, by sheepherds. But the reforesting of rough tracts of country may possibly save them from extermination.

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The wildest, the oldest member of the British fauna and a resident ever since the days of the mammoth, is rapidly becoming extinct. It still lingers in parts of north Wales and the more secluded districts of Scotland. Wildcats, like snakes, were never known in Ireland, the specimens reported from there having been domesticated "tabbies" which had taken to the woods. These ferocious creatures have to face the hostility of a dual alliance, being detested alike by gamekeepers and owing to a partiality for lamb, by shepherds. But the reforesting of rough tracts of country may possibly save them from extermination.

Seriously Busy.

The Earl of Elgin when he was viceroy of India was not a good horseman, and he was always rather uneasy and flustered when riding. One day when he was riding near Simla and devoting all his attention to keeping his seat, an add-e-camp came galloping up with some important news. He told his excellency what he had come about, but the earl rode on without replying. The add-e-camp rode alongside and, after a few minutes, thinking his message had not been heard, repeated it in a rather louder tone.

The earl turned upon him indignantly. "Great Scott, man!" he exclaimed. "Don't you see I'm busy riding? Don't interrupt me!"

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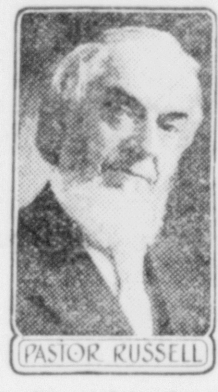
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HOW JESUS PREACHED TO SPIRITS IN PRISON

Who They Are and the Cause of Their Imprisonment.

Pastor Russell Explodes the Theory That Jesus Preached to Dead Humans in Prison—Crowded Audiences Greet Him in the Georgia Capital.



(PASTOR RUSSELL)

Atlanta, Ga., April 28.—Two crowded audiences greeted Pastor Russell here today. One of his discourses was from the text, "Christ also hath once suffered for sins, that He might bring us to God, being put to death in the flesh, but quickened in the spirit, by which (two experiences—death and resurrection) He preached unto the spirits in prison" (1 Peter iii, 18, 19).

This text has been made the basis for some very peculiar presentations. The difficulty in every case seems to be the failure to remember that the Bible all ways and everywhere teaches that the dead are really dead, that they know nothing, and that, therefore, it would be impossible to preach to the dead.

Spirits Once Disobedient.

The spirits to whom the message was given had proven themselves disobedient, says St. Peter. He even tells us the time of their disobedience—"in the days of Noah, while the ark was preparing."

Turning to Genesis vi, 1-5, we find there the cause of the disobedience of these angels who for a time had been permitted to see what they could do for the uplift of humanity, or, rather, permitted to demonstrate that the downward tendency of sin is incurable except in the manner which God has already arranged for through Messiah and His glorious reign of 1,000 years.

Instead of those angels helping mankind out of sin, they helped themselves into sin; and by so doing they increased the depravity amongst humanity until the astounding record is that "the wickedness of man was great in the earth, and that every imagination of the thought of his heart was only evil continually." The particular sin of those angels was that when they were granted the privileges of materializing—of taking human bodies—for the sake of helping and instructing mankind—they abused this power and took to themselves wives.

We are particularly told that the offspring of this improper union were giants, both physically and mentally superior to the fallen human family—"men of renown." The race thus in several centuries became so corrupt that apparently only Noah and his family were left uncontaminated.

It was then and there that God imprisoned these spirits ("angels, who kept not their first estate"), and are therefore called fallen angels, devils, demons. They were not imprisoned in some far-off world called hell, nor are they engaged there in stoking fires.

The record is that God cast them down, that they might not longer associate with the holy angels, but must be reserved in *tartarus*—our earth's atmosphere—June 6; 11 Peter ii, 4, 5.

When imprisoned or cut off from the privilege of materialization, many of the fallen spirits continued their active opposition to God, after the manner of Satan. Hence they are spoken of as his angels, his messengers, and he is spoken of as Beelzebub, their Prince.

How Jesus Preached in Death.

Here arises another question: If Jesus was really dead, as the Scriptures declare; if "He poured out His soul unto death" and made His soul an offering for sin; and His soul was not raised from the dead until the third day after His crucifixion, how could He in the meantime preach to spirits in prison, or to anybody else? We reply that He could preach in the same way that the Apostle refers to, saying, "Abel, being dead, yet speaketh" (Hebrews xi, 4); and, again, in the same way that the blood of Abel is said to have cried to God—figuratively. Of one thing we are sure, namely, that Jesus gave no oral address while He was dead. He preached in the way we sometimes refer to when we say, "Actions speak louder than words."

It was the great object lesson which the fallen angels saw that constituted to them the great sermon that gave them a ground for hope. They admired Jesus' loyalty and faithfulness to God, but doubtless believed Him to be foolish; they never expected Him to arise from the dead.

But when they perceived His resurrection on the third day to glory, honor and immortality ("far above angels, principalities and powers"), His sermon to them was complete, namely, that "the wages of sin is death," but "the gift of God is eternal life" (Romans vi, 23). And as they realized thus the Power of God and the Love of God for His human creatures, the Apostle's words imply that this constituted to them a message of hope.

Doubtless there is much significance also in St. Paul's remarks, "Know ye not that the saints shall judge angels?" (1 Corinthians vi, 3). We do know that the *holy* angels need no judging, no trial; hence the Apostle must refer to a trial, or judgment, or testing of these spirits in prison who were disobedient, in the days of Noah.

BAD HABITS.

Shun bad habits. Every evil and wasteful habit draws upon our strength and resources without making any proper return. On the other hand, every task faithfully done, every responsibility manfully borne in the path of duty, steadily us like well bestowed ballast.

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Labouchere's Jest.

Labouchere once said that political audiences generally applauded the sentences that were least intelligible, especially if they happened to be quotations from the classics. On one occasion, while addressing a political audience, he said, "Gentlemen, what we want is government for the masses by the masses, or, in the words of the old Greek classic, 'Zoe mou sas agno'." There was loud and prolonged cheering. The humorist refrained from spoiling the effect by confessing that the words, being translated into English, meant, "O life of me, I love thee!" and were the last line of "Maid of Athens."

She Lost No Time.

A colored attorney walked rapidly into the courtroom the other day, followed by a large colored woman. She had her sleeves rolled up to the elbows and appeared to have come from the wash tub. Her manner was business-like.

"Ah wants to probate mah husband's will," she said.

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The Demon of the Nigger.

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Against Winona M. Kretter and Coradon B. Kelly, Third parties, who are hereby summoned and required to answer the application of the applicant in the above entitled proceeding, and to file their answer to the said application in the office of the Clerk of said Court, in said County, within twenty (20) days after the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service, and, if you fail to answer the said application within the time aforesaid, the applicant in said proceeding will apply to the Court for the relief demanded therein.

Witness, Hon. W. A. M. Johnston, Clerk of said Court, and the seal thereof, at Brainerd, Minn., in said County, this 15th day of March, 1912.

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